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Federal Energy Regulatory Commission

[Docket No. RM98-1-000]

Records Governing Off-the-Record Communications;

Public Notice

This constitutes notice, in accordance with 18 CFR 385.2201(b), of the receipt of prohibited and exempt off-the-record communications.

Order No. 607 (64 FR 51222, September 22, 1999) requires Commission decisional employees, who make or receive a prohibited or exempt off-the-record communication relevant to the merits of a contested proceeding, to deliver to the Secretary of the Commission, a copy of the communication, if written, or a summary of the substance of any oral communication.

Prohibited communications are included in a public, non-decisional file associated with, but not a part of, the decisional record of the proceeding. Unless the Commission determines that the prohibited communication and any responses thereto should become a part of the decisional record, the prohibited off-the-record communication will not be considered by the Commission in reaching its decision. Parties to a proceeding may seek the opportunity to respond to any facts or contentions made in a prohibited off-the-record communication, and may request that the Commission place the prohibited communication and responses thereto in the decisional record. The Commission will grant such a request only when it determines that fairness so requires. Any person identified below as having made a prohibited off-the-record communication shall serve the document on all parties listed on the official service list for the applicable proceeding in accordance with Rule 2010, 18 CFR 385.2010.

Exempt off-the-record communications are included in the decisional record of the proceeding, unless the communication was with a cooperating agency as described by 40 CFR 1501.6, made under 18 CFR 385.2201(e) (1) (v).

The following is a list of off-the-record communications recently received by the Secretary of the Commission. The communications listed are grouped by docket numbers in ascending order. These filings are available for electronic review at the Commission in the Public Reference Room or may be viewed on the Commission's website at http://www.ferc.gov using the **eLibrary** link. Enter the docket number, excluding the last three digits, in the docket number field to access the document. For

assistance, please contact FERC Online Support at FERCOnlineSupport@ferc.gov or toll free at (866) 208-3676, or for TTY, contact (202)502-8659.

Prohibited:

Docket No.	File Date	Presenter or Requester
1. CP16-21-000	4-18-2016	Ada Peters
2. CP16-21-000	4-18-2016	Mass Mailing ¹
3. CP16-21-000	4-19-2016	Cathy Richardson
4. CP16-21-000	4-19-2016	Mark S. Peters
5. CP14-96-000	4-19-2016	Paul M. Blanch
6. CP16-21-000	4-21-2016	Luceese Purcede
7. CP16-21-000	4-21-2016	Darrell Scott
8. CP13-483-000	4-21-2016	International Union of Operating Engineers
CP13-492-000		
9. CP16-21-000	4-22-2016	Mass Mailing ²
10. CP14-103-000	4-25-2016	Ruth A. Carter
CP15-115-000		
11. CP16-21-000	4-26-2016	Louise Purcell
12. CP16-21-000	4-29-2016	Mass Mailing ³
13. CP15-514-000	4-29-2016	Ohio Gas Association
14. CP15-514-000	4-29-2016	The Ohio Manufacturers' Association

Exempt:

Docket No.	File Date	Presenter or Requester
1. CP13-483-000	4-18-2016	U.S. Congress Members ⁴
CP13-492-000		
2. CP13-483-000	4-18-2016	U.S. Congress Members ⁵
CP13-492-000		-

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¹4 letters have been sent to FERC Commissioners and staff under this docket number.

² 2 letters have been sent to FERC Commissioners and staff under this docket number.

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⁴ Senator Jerry Moran and House Representative Kevin Yoder.

⁵ Senators John Barrasso, M.D., Cory Gardner, Michael F. Bennet, Mike Lee, Michael B. Enzi, and Orrin G. Hatch. House Representatives Cynthia Lummis, Scott R. Tipton, Doug Lamborn, Mike Coffman, Jason Chaffetz, Mia Love, Rob Bishop, Chris Stewart, and Ken Buck.

3. P-13755-000	4-18-2016	U.S. House Representatives ⁶
P-13757-000		
P-13761-000		
P-13768-000		
4. EL16-33-000	4-20-2016	U.S. Senator Joe Manchin III
EL16-34-000		
5. P-14677-001	4-20-2016	FERC Staff ⁷
6. P-13102-003	4-21-2016	FERC Staff ⁸
7. EL16-33-000	4-22-2016	FERC Staff ⁹
EL16-34-000		
8. CP16-21-000	4-25-2016	U.S. Senator Kelly A. Ayotte
9. EL16-33-000	4-26-2016	FERC Staff ¹⁰
EL16-34-000		
10. EL16-33-000	4-27-2016	FERC Staff ¹¹
EL16-34-000		
11. EL16-33-000	4-27-2016	FERC Staff ¹²
EL16-34-000		

DATED: May 3, 2016

Nathaniel J. Davis, Sr., Deputy Secretary.

⁶ Mike Doyle and Keith Rothfus.

⁷ Telephone Record from April 19, 2016 call with John Gangemi from ERM.
8 Telephone Record from April 19, 2016 call with Nick Josten from GeoSense.
9 Telephone Record from April 20, 2016 call with Senator Joe Manchin.
10 Telephone Record from April 21, 2016 call with Senator Joe Manchin.
11 Telephone Record from April 20, 2016 call with Senator Joe Manchin.
12 Telephone Record from April 20, 2016 call with Senator Joe Manchin.

¹² Telephone Record from April 20, 2016 call with Senator Joe Manchin.

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